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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

JOSEPH GIRARD,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C11-0549-JCC

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

This matter comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge James P. Donohue (Dkt. No. 17), to which there has been no timely objection. The Court, after careful consideration of the parties' submissions, the report and

recommendation, and the balance of the record, does hereby find and **ORDER**:

- (1) The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation;
- (2) The final decision of the Commissioner is AFFIRMED, and this case is DISMISSED with prejudice.
- (3) The Clerk of the Court is directed to send copies of this Order to the parties and to Judge Donohue.

DATED this 23rd day of December 2011.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE